

REMARKS SECTION

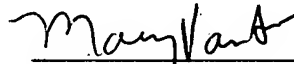
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Reconsideration and reexamination is respectfully requested. The indication of allowable subject matter is acknowledged with appreciation.

Claim 19 was rejection under Section 112, first paragraph and claims 1, 11, 12 and 15 were rejected under Section 103. While not acceding to the rejections, and solely to expedite prosecution of the application, claim 1 has been amended and claims 11-13 and 19 have been cancelled without prejudice to prosecuting the subject matter in a continuing application.

The application is now believed to be in condition for allowance and notification thereof is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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